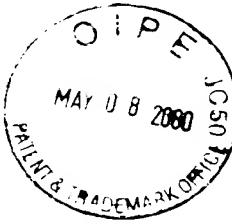


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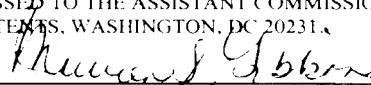
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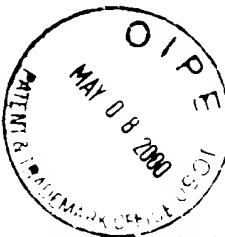
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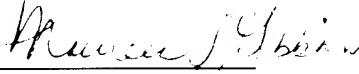
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In response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2000, in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered, without prejudice:

In the Specification:

At page **89**, line 13, before "TTG CTT CCA TCT TCC TCG TC" please insert

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